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S.B. No. 1027

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

1 AN ACT
2 relating to the provision of legal services by a guardian in
3 connection with a guardianship.

4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

5 SECTION 1. Subpart F, Part 4, Chapter XIII, Texas Probate
6 Code, is amended by adding Section 773A to read as follows:

7 Sec. 773A. GUARDIAN PROVIDING LEGAL SERVICES FOR WARD
8 PROHIBITED. An attorney who serves as guardian may not provide
9 legal services in connection with the guardianship.

10 SECTION 2. Section 665D, Texas Probate Code, is repealed.

11 SECTION 3. The changes in law made by this Act apply to a
12 guardianship created before, on, or after the effective date of
13 this Act.

14 SECTION 4. This Act takes effect September 1, 2011.